

The Stadium

WILMINGTON OR WESTON

The site for the proposed new stadium, in or near Boston, has in the past few days been narrowed down to two sites: Weston or Wilmington.

The Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Weston, Herman Koester Jr., has stated that there won't be any stadium in his town, 'God willing'.

The Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Wilmington, James Miceli, has said publicly that the Board of Selectmen of Wilmington were 'unanimously' in favor of a

stadium being erected in this town.

The Greater Boston Stadium Commission Monday proposed that a \$55 million domed stadium be built in Weston, near the interchange of the Massachusetts Turnpike and Route 128. Created by Governor Volpe, the Commission has been studying the problem since last October.

Included in the recommendations were that the Stadium was to be operated by the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority, and that an estimated annual deficit of \$2 million would be met out of 'un-

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VACANT CHAIRS: How easy it would have been for any determined group to have 'packed' the Town Meeting last Saturday is demonstrated by this photograph, taken about 5:30 pm. The greatest number of voters present at any time during the meeting was 416, which is less than 7% of the Registered Voters of Wilmington.



MONTE AND JAYCEES: Monte Green, speaking from the stage of the Herbert C Barrows Auditorium. Jaycee officials are at left and Atty Roland Wood at right.

Smithcraft Announces

Smithcraft Corporation has acquired a 20-acre site on Industrial Way, in South Wilmington, on Route 93 for the purpose of building a new modern plant to manufacture commercial and industrial lighting fixtures. Their plans call for building a 400,000 square-foot factory in two stages. Construction of the initial stage of 250,000 square feet is scheduled to begin this year and to be completed for occupancy in late 1968.

The twenty acres purchased by Smithcraft is near the new Ling Electronics plant, and is a part of the DeCenso development, from Woburn Street to West Street.

John H. Cantlin, President of Smithcraft, indicated that the new facilities would replace the company's present plant in Chelsea, Mass., which is inadequate to meet Smithcraft's projected growth requirements. Mr. Cantlin stated that

the company had investigated several possible locations for the new plant, including localities in several southern states, before settling on the Wilmington site.

Smithcraft is one of the nation's largest manufacturers of commercial and industrial lighting fixtures with sales offices located throughout the United States and Canada. The company recently supplied

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Now that the members of the Wilmington Fire Department are to work forty eight hours each week instead of fifty six, the time has come to take the beds out of the firehouse.

Everyone in this town is aware of the 'moonlighting' that occurs from time to time, on the part of the firemen. They of course are not alone in this, for perhaps 50% of the adult males in this town have some type of 'moonlight' occupation.

Local contractors drive up to the firehouse on occasion, at 8 am, to pick up extra help, just up from a good night's sleep, while being paid for working.

That was all right in the days of seventy two hour weeks, and even in the fifty six hour weeks, but is it right, to sleep in a forty eight hour week?

Mud Trucks will stop

A heavy trucking operation, which had been sending trucks through Wilmington and over the Shawheen Avenue bridge for the past several days is scheduled to stop this morning.

Eight or more trucks, weighing with their cargos as much as 30 tons, and loaded with mud from the Mystic River, had been dumping their loads in a former gravel pit in Billerica, on land known as 'Lindsey's', and adjacent to the Aldrich Road wellfield in Wilmington. The mud is being excavated from near the present end of Interstate Route 93, as part of the new construction for that highway.

The trucks, using Rts 93 and 129, had been crossing the Shawheen Avenue bridge (load limit 6 tons), but yesterday morning

transferred to the Bridge Lane bridge (load limit 10 1/2 tons).

Eddie Sargent, Superintendent of the Wilmington Water Department, and Richard Albanese, Agent for the Billerica Board of Health, investigated the operation yesterday. Their primary reason was to ensure that the land was not being 'salted', and that salt would not get into the Wilmington water supplies.

A representative of the owner told the two town officials that there was no salt in the mud, and that the operation was just about over.

He said that the owner of the land had been primarily interested in filling some of the holes left by previous gravel operations, and that the mud would be 'smoothed over' and left to dry.



THIRTY TONS FOR A TEN TON BRIDGE: One of the Mud Trucks photographed on Bridge Lane Wednesday morning, about to go over a railroad bridge that is guaranteed for 10 1/2 tons. The truck and its cargo weighs about 30 tons.

STEVE HULSE IS BACK IN STATES

Seaman Stephan Hulse, USNR, son of Mrs Robert Doyle of 85 Burlington Avenue has returned to Mayport, Florida, after combat duty off the coast of North Vietnam aboard the attack aircraft carrier Franklin D Roosevelt.

As a member of the FDR he assisted in the launching of over 7,000 combat and combat support missions against North Vietnamese military combat targets. The carrier, named for the 32nd President of the United States, travelled over 94,000 miles since leaving Mayport in June of 1966. During her deployment with the Seventh Fleet, the FDR also visited the ports of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Subic Bay, Philippines; Yokosuka, Japan; and the British Crown Colony of Hong Kong.

WALTER HADLEY MARFLEET ENLISTS IN NAVY

Walter Hadley Marfleet, son of Mr and Mrs Albert Marfleet of 27 Boutwell St, has enlisted in the Navy for a period of 4 years. He will undergo recruit training at the U.S. Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Illinois, according to Chief Mahoney and Chief Van Kirk, the local Navy Recruiters.

At the training center he will undergo training in physical fitness, swimming and survival, basic ship board orientation, gunnery, fire fighting, military law, military drill and many other subjects.

After completion of training he will then receive leave and later report to one of the Navy's Class 'A' Schools, or on the job training in one of the Navy's more than sixty major job fields.

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HOW ABOUT THE BAND AT THE TOWN MEETING?

How about having the Wonderful High School Band play at the annual Town Meeting, as an inducement to get more voters to attend?

With the voting so cut and dried today there is admittedly not much inducement, when there is skiing in New Hampshire, and TV at home. The voter does not have much to say about most of the money.

He can't argue about the school budget, and many other things too, and when it gets down to cases the member of the Finance Committee who said the Town Meeting was arguing about Nickles and Dimes was one hundred percent correct.

But just think - If the Band were there. What fun there could be!

When Harold Melzar entered the Band could give a stirring rendition of Hall to the Chief.

And, sometime during the afternoon, the band could quite appropriately play 'My Man' when Simon Cutter cracked one of his jokes.

When the time came to argue over Veteran's Clubhouses the band could be playing 'There'll be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight', and, of course, for the absent voters that well known dirge, The Vacant Chair, could be quite suitable.

Perhaps someone could give the idea a little serious thought.

VETERAN'S CLUB HOUSES

There are those people in Wilmington who regard the voting of money for Veteran's Club Houses as so much legal robbery. The Finance Committee seems to agree, for one member of that committee said they were 'private clubs'.

The Town Crier disagrees, and strongly. The veterans organizations are the only ones who care, for the disabled veterans who are spending their lives in government hospitals. Can anyone name private clubs that take the time to visit these forgotten men?

The statutes of the Commonwealth provides that 'suitable' quarters must be provided, and this is a good law. If suitable quarters are provided, then the town or city does not have to vote the clubhouse money each year.

'Suitable' quarters does not mean shoving the veterans into a Town Hall or some similar place. It means a place that is theirs, exclusively, at least for the time being, and on stipulated intervals. Wilmington does not have such 'suitable' quarters, nor are there many places in this Commonwealth that does.

One way that might possibly answer the question is to provide a meeting room, in the new public library, if and when that library is built. It would have to be reserved to the veterans, at least a good part of the time, but it possibly could be used for other functions as well, - for instance Library Board meetings, and cultural activities.

If this could be arranged the \$2250 that is now voted each year could possibly be used instead to help pay off the bonds for the library. And, if the reader will pardon the trite expression, that's a lot of hay!

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Thursday, Mar. 16, 2:45 pm girl scouts troop 387. 6:30 pm High School Class. 7 pm Senior Choir Rehearsal.

Friday March 17, 11:30 through 1:30-The South Branch will serve a FISH CHOWDER LUNCHEON in the vestry. 7 pm Boy Scouts Troop 56.

Saturday Mar. 18, 6 pm Couples Club covered dish supper. Bring the children and we will attend the Carter Lecture at the High School after a short business meeting.

Monday March 20, 3:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 89.

Tuesday March 21, 3 pm Junior Choir Rehearsal. 8 pm Wilmington Council of Churches at the Congregational Church.

Wednesday March 22, 7:30 am Youth Ecumenical Service-Baptist Church. 12 noon South Branch. 12:30 pm West Branch. 6:30 pm God and Country & God and Community Scouts. 7:30 pm Webelos.

On Saturday, March 25, the Sr. PFers are having a Car Wash. Have a shiny car for Easter.

LOST BANK BOOK

The following bank book is lost, and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Section 20 Chapter 16 General Laws. Payment has been stopped.

Bankbook No. 1345, Commercial Bank and Trust, of Wilmington.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends whose concern and labors have been a source of strength for the family of Esau Smith during the time of sorrow and a special thanks to the Police and Fire Department for their very prompt assistance. May God Be With You All.

The Smith Family

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WHAT THE BOYS DID DURING VACATION: A view of one of the corridors in Wilmington High School, showing a part of the damage done by vandals during the recent School Vacation.

New appointments for Fisons

Appointment of F R Johnson as General Manager of the newly established agricultural division of Fisons Corporation of Wilmington (National Polychemicals) has been announced by Dan Throop Smith, board chairman of Fisons and professor of finance at Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

Also announced is the appointment of Christopher H Cronin as technical manager of the same division.

Mr Johnson was formerly manager of the marketing services at Chemagro Corp., Kansas City, Mo. He holds degrees in agriculture and soil chemistry from the University of Missouri and has been engaged in the marketing of agricultural chemicals for over 15 years.

Mr Cronin, who obtained his MA degree at Cambridge University in England, will be in charge of the technical development of the new pesticide products. He was formerly a research specialist with Fiston Pest Control in England, and later technical manager and



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alternative technical director of Fisons Pest Control Pvt., Ltd. in Rhodesia, Africa.

Fisons Corporation, a recently established company, is a wholly



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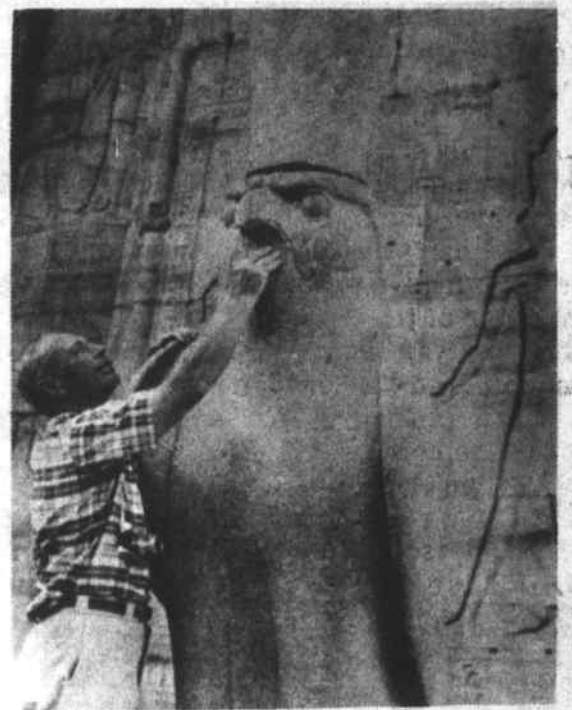
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'How to Make the Most of Yourself and Your Wardrobe' will be presented by Charlotte Barker, noted fashion model, at the March 16th meeting of the Wilmington Women's Club, to be held in the Fellowship Hall of the Wilmington Methodist Church.

In addition to her stimulating hints and secrets on the care of your present wardrobe, Miss Barker will demonstrate magic with millinery.

Dessert and coffee will be served at noon by Mrs Daniel F Cosman and her Committee.

The business meeting with Mrs Elwood E Gaskill, President, will start at 1 pm.

The Invocation will be given by Mrs Henry G Hartwell. New members will be presented by Mrs Frank H Tuttle.

CARLTON A EDDY ON DEANS LIST' MERRIMACK COLLEGE

Carlton A Eddy, class of 1967, son of Mr and Mrs Alan G Eddy of 500 Woburn St, has been named to the Dean's List for the first semester at Merrimack College, No. Andover.

CHERYL SILVERS CITED AT HONORS ASSEMBLY

Cheryl Silvers, daughter of Dr and Mrs John P Silvers, of 327 Salem St, was cited for her scholastic achievement at Lasell Junior College Honors Assembly, held at the College in Auburndale, Monday March 13. Cheryl is one of four seniors to be on the Dean's List three successive semesters.

Miss Silvers is in the Nursing Program at Lasell. She is also a member of the Orphean, Workshop Players, Science Club, Current Events Club, Crew, Student Nurses' Assoc., and Lasell's crew. In addition, she is on the staffs of Lasell yearbook, The Lamp, and the College's newspaper, Lasell News.

Cheryl is a 1965 graduate of Wilmington High School.

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Jackie Platt has reminded us of the Carter Lecture on Saturday, March 18, 1967, at 8:15 pm at the Barrows Auditorium in the Wilmington High School. Captain Irving M. Johnson will present 'Yankee Sails the Nile' with his pictures. This is free to the residents of Wilmington under the Carter Lecture Fund and we are fortunate to have these given to us. It should be interesting for the children also.

Jackie and Helen Hayward took a busload of youngsters in to the Youth Concert Saturday morning in Boston, and heard the New England Conservatory Chorus, in which our own Richard Silverman is a tenor, and which made the trip more exciting. They sang the 'Hallelujah Chorus' and selections from Copeland's 'The Tender Land'. Mrs. Platt and Mrs. Hayward were much elated at the response this year, and are looking forward to the next season.

Eleanor Mello of Salem Street is confined in the Choate Memorial Hospital in Woburn, instead of the Winchester Hospital. Did her friends make a note of that?

Polly Hills reports that Ariel Woods, formerly of Columbia St. and now of Alfred, Maine, has successfully undergone an operation at the Goodall Hospital in Sanford Maine, 04073. He would love to hear from his friends, and it's nice to hear that he is getting well quickly.

Ralph Barden, of the Barden the Florist Shop, at Lucci's, has solved a puzzle, and in a nice way.

It seems that each week the Rev. Mr. Miller of the Methodist Church would visit the Barden shop, and purchase a rose, red. Sometimes one, sometimes two, and even, at

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The response was that for every baby born in the parish the pastor had a red rose put on the pulpit, in honor of his birth, the next Sunday morning.

Our sentimental florist was so touched that he no longer takes any payment for ye red roses. I think that's really something!

Don't forget the Cadette Girl Scout Paper Drive Saturday, the 25th., in the Methodist Church parking lot. They'll take your papers between the hours of 9 and 11:30, and if anyone needs help please call Jean Willis at 658-8562, and she'll arrange a pickup.

The McQuaid family on Middlesex Avenue have become emotionally involved with a lovely black feline, with some white hairs in his short fur. One of the youngsters brought him home, a gift from another youngster whose mother wouldn't let him keep it.

Abbie says that the cat seems to have been picked up originally in the vicinity of Shawsheen Ave., while it was wandering around seemingly lost, and Abbie feels that some other youngsters must be heartbroken for him, also. If anyone has any information they may call Abbie McQuaid at her home on Middlesex Avenue.

First robin honors, this spring, go to Maude Arsenault of Taplin Avenue. She looked out her back window yesterday afternoon during the snow storm, and saw Cock Robin sitting on the garden table. Maude threw out a few crumbs of bread, which was eaten, and then the robin flew off.

Doctor Mobbs has bought the old telephone building, on Church St. and it looks like a busy place, with all sorts of workmen running in and out. I understand he is considering the possibility of having his medical office transferred there.

Undoubtedly you read the item in this paper a couple of weeks ago about Photon netting a million dollars this year. The company is coming along very well, thank you, and is experiencing some unreported growing pains. The big problem now is to find parking space for their employees, with the number increasing nearly every week.

They are trying to figure out how to get 350 cars parked in their parking yards, and about the best they can do is make space for about 300.

Meanwhile their stock is jumping. Last I heard it was up to 49!

Walter Geswell, up in Franconia NH, formerly of West Street, has been having a lively time with all the recent snow up in that area (as well as in Wilmington).

Walter has the liveliest place in Franconia, according to Wilmington people who go up there for skiing. They enjoy it, and how!

Friends tell me that he is about to be seen, in a ski show, on CBS. Maybe it has already been shown, I really don't know.

Walter, as Wilmington people may be able to remember, looked so much like former Town Manager Dean Cushing that once upon a time, a man in Wilmington Square offered to punch him in the nose.

Maybe that's why he moved to New Hampshire.

Postmaster Henry Porter had a close brush with the law this week, and then even a closer one with the Rotary club.

As Postmaster he is called upon to check up on the mailmen, how many letters they carry, how far

their routes take them, etc etc., in fact all the red tape that the Postoffice Department can devise.

He was driving up and down a street in North Wilmington Tuesday, checking on the distance that one of the rural carriers has to drive. Somebody thought he was a suspicious person, and called the police.

In just about nothing flat a police cruiser came up from behind and forced Henry over to the side of the road, whereupon another came from the other end of the street and stopped in front of him.

The Gendarmes, after recognizing Henry, let him go, and he says he's glad Wilmington has such efficient police.

But yesterday, in Rotary, Henry was fined 25 cents for disturbing the peace, in North Wilmington! He just can't win, can he?

The Reader's Digest, I am told, is having a story about the Rev. Otis Masfield. He was, of course, the pastor of the Wilmington Methodist Church, before he left for other parishes, and became a Congregational minister. At present he is serving in Lexington. I just can't wait to see what is said about Otis.

I don't know just what happens in this case, but it's interesting. The name of Louis Werner was drawn in the Selectmen's meeting, Monday, to serve on Jury duty in Lowell.

Louis used to live at 9 Marcus Road, but he moved about two months ago, to some 'south shore' community - Neponsit, Quincy, somewhere down that-a-way.

Does he have to come back to Middlesex County in April and report for Jury duty?

Billy Cawthron is seeing the world. The Hathaway Acres boy joined the Navy, and after completing his basic training at Great Lakes, Illinois, was assigned to the aircraft carrier Bon Homme Richard, on January first, at San Diego, California.

Since then Billy has been to Hawaii, Japan, and the Philippines. Now he is cruising off the coast of Vietnam. (lovely weather for it, Wilmington weather, I mean).

Billy expects to be back in the States some time in August, and meanwhile he gets the Town Crier every week, thanks to his mother, and he is enthusiastic about reading of ye olde home metropolis.

Whaddoyahknow! ... Now hear this! The proofs for the 1966 year book, Wilmington High School, are in!

Well, we made it before the twenty-fifth anniversary, kids.

But, life being what it is, perhaps we shouldn't count our year books before they are bound! How about that!

Beulah Barrows has not been feeling too well recently. I know she'd love to hear from some of her friends - it's pretty gloomy being shut in these days. However, Spring is around the corner. I heard a song sparrow Sunday morning, or was it a bluebird? They have the same song. (Did the forecast say 'flurries'? The old railroad philosophy is: When the weather boys predict snow, your'e o.k.; but when they predict 'flurries', WATCH OUT!)

Joe McManus has a new helper at his Ames News. Dickie Carter is learning the ropes fast, and has a wide grin while 'waiting on'. It's a pleasure to see him.

Nancy Knows: The proud daddy who served the High School Hockey team was Leo O'Connell, of Faulkner Ave. Leo is one of the two partners in the Jay's TV, up in North Reading, along with Joe McCabe

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Most Improved Player



Peter Emery, son of Mr and Mrs Talbot Emery of Lake Street, has been selected as the Most Improved Hockey Player on the Colby College Hockey Team, at Waterville, Maine. He received the award, at a banquet held at the end of the regular season. Selection was by the coaches and fellow squad players.

The Colby team had a 10-2-1 record, and entered a post-season playoff in defense of the league crown, last week. Emery, a defense man, is a sophomore at Colby.

St Thomas Church

Masses: Sunday 7, 8:15, 9:30, 10:45, 12, and 5 pm.
Weekday 6:45 and 12 (Sat. 7, 8, and 12)

Youth Center: Plans for a Youth Center in the basement of Villanova Hall are coming along extremely well. We hope to start work soon, and the final plans will be shown in a few weeks. Most of the work will be done by volunteer labor, and we are now starting to compile a list of volunteers. If you are willing to help, please contact either Mr Paul Reitchel 658-2560 or Mr Chas Nickerson, 658-4861.

School of Religion: Winners in the Religion Bowl; Grade 5, Mr Turner's Class. Grade 6 Mrs Harrington's Class. We are also grateful to Mrs Harrington's class for raising \$120 last week through their cake sale for the Missions.

Friday: St Patrick's Day, The law of abstinence no longer binds on Friday.

Saturday: The Feast of St Joseph the Protector of the Church, the Patron of Purity, the Worker, and of a Happy Death.

Sunday: The one collection on the third Monthly Sunday will be diverted this month to the renovating of Villanova Hall. It is some 20 years old and in need of repair and updating. 7:30 The 'Tuned-Out Generation' a jointly sponsored program by the High School of Religion CYO and Holy Name, on the problems of communication between high school students and parents. Everyone is welcome.

Gratitude: For \$700 you gave last Sunday and sent to the Catholic Bishops' Relief Fund. To Father Mackin, Mrs Kelly and her aides who worked so hard to plan the Green Whist, and all who helped them raise \$655. for the parish.

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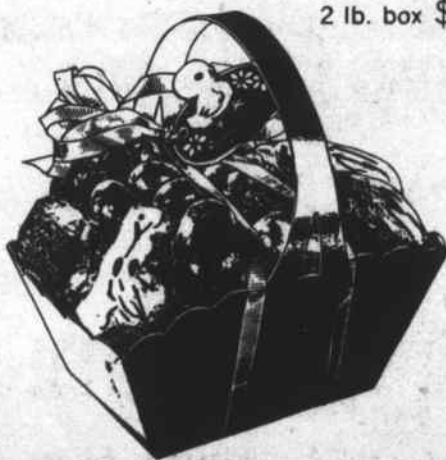
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Richard W Anderson, son of Mr and Mrs George A Anderson of 12 Crest Ave, has been promoted to airman second class in the U.S. Air Force.

Airman Anderson is a fuel systems mechanic at Plattsburgh AFB, New York. He is a member of the Strategic Air Command which keeps the free world's mightiest missile and jet bomber force ready to counter the enemy threat.

The airman is a graduate of Chelsea High School.

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Underdogs	164- 36	33391
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Five Aces	93-107	32175
Jolly Five	58-142	31544
Top Hats	58-142	31397
Eager Beavers	55-145	31638

Top Ten

Norma Hembree	98.00
Edith Trall	95.09
Dotty Ingalls	93.68
Betty Aprille	93.34
Carole Cote	93.17
Rita Ingalls	92.52
Gert Gordon	92.43
Peg Page	92.38
Anne Woods	92.33
Jo Carlson	91.58

Sis Merrill still holds our high single of 13p and also has the triple of 331. The Sweater Girls have the team single of 507 and the Trail Blazers have the team triple of 1406.

NORTH END STRIKERS

Elias Store	120	88
D&D Gulf	119	89
Wilm Autotrans	113	95
Wilson's	98	110
Five Pins	94	114
Coombs Furn	80	128

High Average, Tom O'Hare 146; Joan Cook 158

High Series, Bill Johnston 621; Mary Lou Cavalear 515

High Singles, Bill Johnston 240; Mary Lou Cavalear 216

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUES Week of March 20.

High, North & West Intermediate
Monday: Fruit Cup, Grilled Frankfurter in Buttered Roll, Parslied Potatoes, Shoestring Carrots
Peanut Butter Raisin Cookies, Milk

Tuesday: Hamburg and Gravy, Mashed Potato, Buttered Peas, Bread & Butter, Applesauce Cake with Topping, Milk.

Wednesday: American Chop Suey Cole Slaw, Bread & Peanut Butter, Pudding with Topping, Milk.

Thursday: Beefsteak Pie with Vegetables, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread & Butter, Cup Cake - Milk.

Friday: Good Friday - No School

Wildwood, Glen Rd. Boutwell and Woburn St. Schools

Monday: Meat Loaf - Tomato Sauce, Mashed Potato, Buttered Peas, Bread & Butter, Hermit, Milk

Tuesday: Meat Ball Subs, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Scooters, Milk.

Wednesday: Tuna Salad Roll, French Fries, Buttered Beets, Applesauce Cake with Topping, Milk

Thursday: Fruit Cup, Home Baked Beans, Grilled Frankfurter on Buttered Roll, Tomato Wedges, Ice Cream, Milk.

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DEATHS

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR
MR ESAU SMITH

Mr Esau Smith, 60, of 146 Federal St., died suddenly of a coronary thrombosis on February 27th in the Melrose-Wakefield Hospital. A native of Newfoundland, Mr Smith lived for 30 years in North Reading before moving to Wilmington 2 years ago. He was a member of Local 25, Holisting Engineers of New York and worked for many years along the Atlantic sea coast as a dredge Captain.

Besides his wife Lily May, he is survived by three sons, George T.H. of Reading, Nathan E. and Edward W. of Wilmington; two daughters, Elizabeth Bourassa and Ruby M. Seville of Wilmington and fourteen grandchildren. Also, his mother Mrs Joseph Blandford, 87 of Newfoundland and one sister Mrs Aaron Tilley of No Reading.

Funeral Services were held on Thursday, March 2nd at 2 pm at the Church of the Good Shepherd Reading. Burial was in the family lot at Wildwood Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Nathan and Edward Smith, Donat Bourassa, Jr Richard Seville of Wilmington, Wm Tilley of Plaistow, N.H. and Russell Gardner of Stoneham.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of the Crosswell Funeral Home at North Reading, where a Masonic Service was held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 28.

PHOEBE YOUNG HAD LIVED
IN WILMINGTON 25 YEARS

Mrs Phoebe J (Dresser) Young, wife of the late Alfred S Young of 15 Cedar Street, Wilmington, died suddenly on March 12th at the Bon Secours Hospital in Methuen.

Born in Providence, Rhode Island, she was 70 years old, and had made her residence on Cedar Street for the past 25 years. She had been a member of the St. Thomas Choir for many years.

Mrs Young is survived by her four children, Mrs Jean Shelley of Tewksbury; Mrs Mildred LeMay and Mrs Phoebe Sutton of California, and Frank Gallagher of Woburn.

The funeral was held at the W. S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street on March 15th followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem at St. Thomas Church at 10 am. Rev. Francis Mackin served as Celebrant, Rev. Paul Berube as Deacon, and Rev. D'Arcy as Sub Deacon. Burial followed in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetery, with Father Berube offering the committal prayers.

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Thursday March 16; 12 pm Wilmington Women's Club. 3:30 pm Angelus Choir Rehearsal. 7:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal. 7:30 pm Webelos.

Friday at 7 pm Boy Scout Troop 59.

Saturday March 18, 6:30 pm 85th Anniversary Church Banquet.

Sunday March 19, 9:30 am Morning Worship & Church School. 11 am Morning Worship & Church School. 2 pm Church Membership Class for Youth. 2 pm Communion Class for Youth & Adults. 5:30 pm Wesley Choir Rehearsal. 6:30 pm MYF group meet. 7 pm Lenten Worship Service. 8 pm Sunday Evening Lenten Study.

Monday March 20, 6:45 am Men's Study Group. 3 pm Jr Girl Scout Troop 487. 7:15 pm Jr Scout Troop 343. 8 pm Official Board. 8 pm Abigail Circle.

Tuesday Mar. 21, 10 am Mother's Day Out. 10:30 am Billerica Bible Study-Coffee Hour. 10:30 am Wilmington Bible Study-Coffee Hour. 12:30 pm Esther Circle. 8 pm Council of Churches. 8 pm Mary Circle. 8:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous.

Wed. March 22, 10 am W.S.C.S. Day Apart. 3 pm Cub Scouts. 6:30 pm Methodist Men's Club. 7 pm Cadette Girl Scout Troop 215.

Faculty Hoop Tourney

The fourth annual Merrimack Valley Faculty Invitational Basketball Tournament, sponsored by the Wilmington Faculty, opened on Wednesday night, with a total of 28 teams entered.

All proceeds of the tourney will go to the scholarship fund of the teachers' association.

Action will continue at the high school gym on March 18, 20, 21, 22, 25, 29 and 31.

Saturday evening at 8:15 the Host Team, our faculty, will make their 1967 debut in the feature game of the day against the faculty of Keith Academy. Other games in the preliminary round on Saturday are as follows: Billerica vs Saugus, 12:00 Lynn English vs Malden 1:15; Acton-Box. vs Arlington, 2:30; Masconomet vs Wayland, 3:45; Wakefield vs Danvers, 5:00; No Reading vs Hamilton-Wen., 7:00; Wilmington vs Keith, 8:15; Methuen vs Winchester, 9:30.

Tickets for all of these games are on sale in the various schools, (high, north, west, wildwood, boutwell, woburn), students 50¢ and adults \$1.00. Tickets will also be available at the gym on the days of the tourney.

Rotary Nominations

The name of John Elia was submitted to the members of the Wilmington Rotary Club yesterday, for president in the year 1967-8.

Other officers nominated were: Vice President, Dick Tuffenklau of Sweetheart Plastics; Treasurer Joseph Maffeo of the Middlesex County National Bank; Secretary, Rev. Robert Smith of the First Baptist Church, and Sergeant at Arms, Bryant Bedell.

Nominated to the Board of Directors were: William F Butt, the outgoing president; Fred Jackson of the Jackson Brothers; Harold Foley, of the Shamrock; Warren Kunz of Avco, and Ralph Allen of the North Wilmington Barber-shop.

Whitefield Parents Group hosts

Miss Irene Sharp

Miss Irene Sharp, assistant director of guidance in the Wilmington schools, will be the guest speaker at the Whitefield School on Monday evening, March 20, at 8 pm.

Miss Sharp will speak to the Whitefield Parents Group on the reading program for the underprivileged children in town, which is a part of the Federal Project for Education.

Also she will mention plans for the 'Head Start' program for this summer in town.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

YOUR PHARMACIST SPEAKS

by Louis

Sleep is one of the oddest things we know . . . or don't know . . . about. Science isn't sure about how much we need, whether it's possible to get too much, too little, the wrong kind, or even what causes occasional sleep-walking expeditions. But there's one thing we do know, and that is nobody sleeps like a log.

Even in the quietest possible normal slumber, an average person will toss around from 35 to 40 times each night, changing his position and location each time . . . somewhat in the manner of a horizontal whirling dervish. Why, its enough to wear you out just thinking about it . . . or worse yet, make you an insomniac from worrying about it. Either way, it seems you can't really log-up too much good sack time. Do yourself a good turn . . . and try.

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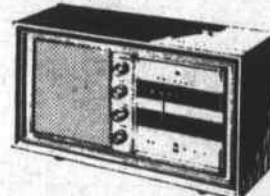
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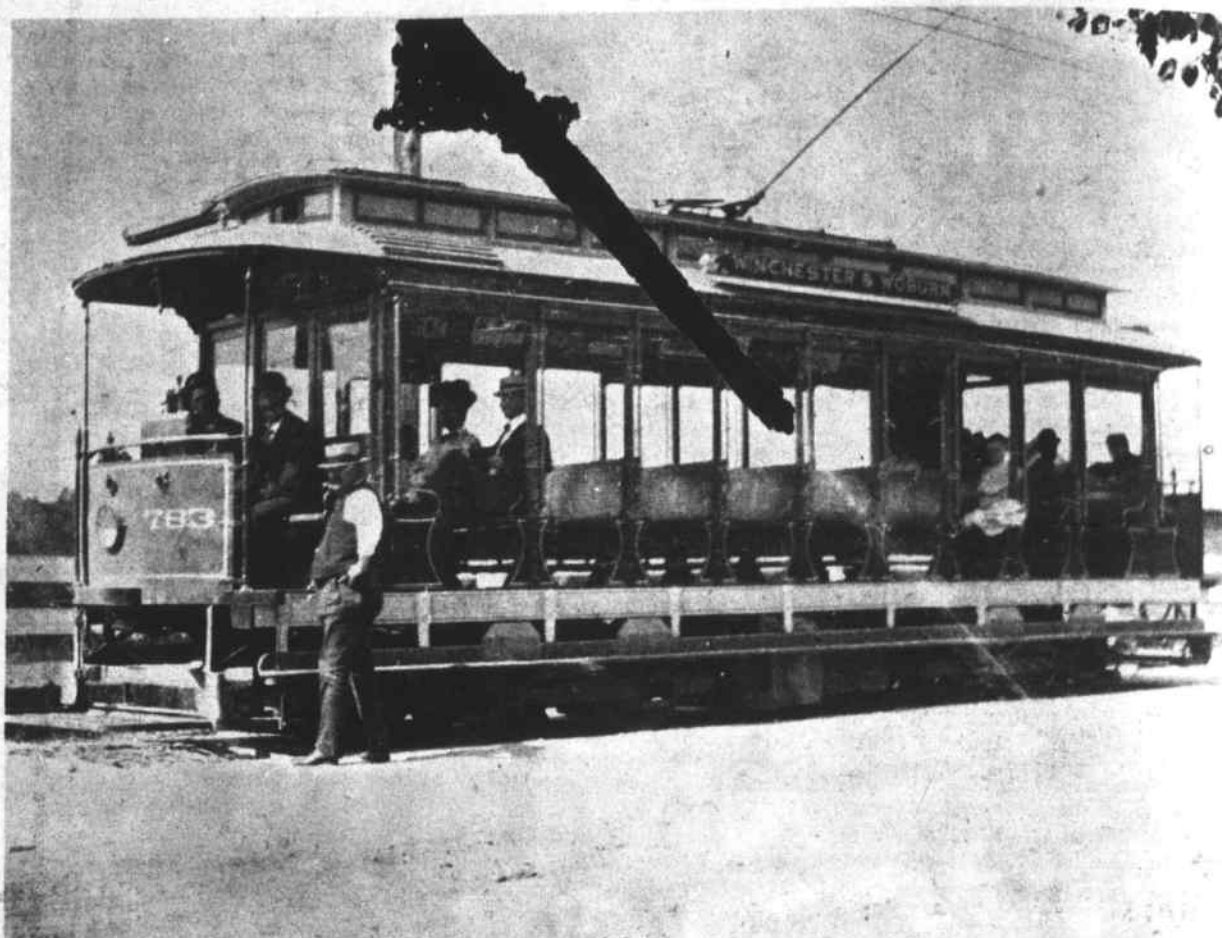

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Old Trolley Car Pictures



THE OLD BILLERICA TROLLEY: Which took Wilmington residents to Billerica, or Woburn, at about the turn of the century. It also ran down Church Street and Wildwood Street to Perry's Corner, now more familiar to the people of Wilmington as Lucci's.

On the ground is Charlie Sargent, father of Ed Sargent, Supt. of the Water Department.

The motorman is Jack Noonan, and beside him is Rudolph 'Dolph' Porter, father of the Wilmington Postmaster, Henry Porter.



ANOTHER OLD TROLLEY: Was this one, operated by Motorman William (Steamboat) Parker, of Woburn, and later Lowell.

This picture was taken at Perry's Corner, and the old Swain House can be recognized in the background.

The girls, left to right are Katy Murray, Bessie McMahon, Rose McMahon and Alice McMahon.

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High Triples

Moe Grenier 597, George Soles
562, Mike Griffin 540
Lorraine Burt 465, Eve Webster
457, Judy McNally 420

High Singles

Moe Grenier 220, Jim Welch
214, Cliff Knight 213
Eve Webster 185, Lorraine Burt
167, Joan Foster 159



AT THE MASON'S SPORT NIGHT: Monday evening, in the West Intermediate School, where the Second Annual Sports Night saw Capt. John Bucyk of the Boston Bruins as the principal guest.
Front, L to R: Carl 'Bucky' Backman; George Webber; Phil Watson, John Irwin, and Wilmington Hockey Coach Kenneth Palm.
Rear: Foster Balsar; Larry Cushing; John Bucyk; Dick Gunn; and Dave Trickett.

4H Horse & Pony Club

The Wilmington 4H Riders met at the home of Mrs. Fielding last week and drove to the Arabian Farm of the Carl Capabiancos, formerly of Wilmington, they live near the Parker Forest.

The children were accompanied by the leaders, Mrs. Fielding and Mrs. Trail. There was a display of horsemanship by the Capabianco's children and refreshments was had along with the good time.



ROBERT A RILEY COMPLETES GENERAL REPAIR COURSE

Robert A Riley of 21 Oakdale Rd has completed a general repair course during the week of March 6 at Volkswagen Northeast Distributor, Inc., the New England distributor for Volkswagen, as announced by Robert L Witham, general service manager. Mr. Riley is affiliated with Harrison-Park Corp., the authorized Volkswagen dealership in Lawrence.

Letter

March 9, 1967

Dear Larz:

I think the Highway Department does a magnificent job of snow plowing. I have no fault to find with their work. But, I do think the snow should be removed from Wilmington Center and other business areas.

Wilmington center is a disgrace. Try going through there after 4:30 pm, or rather, don't try, because you will probably be an hour getting in and out, and if you do try to get into a store you might get your neck broken in trying.

All these stores pay taxes, and plenty too. (I am not the owner of any of them). Why do not the proprietors march on our Town Hall? It's beyond me, especially after I find out that the town plows out all the church yards and parking lots and driveways.

Religious properties pay no taxes, yet they seem to come before the taxpayers.

If the town were to plow out the churches after it has cleaned up for the taxpayers I don't think anyone would object, but let's get the business areas cleaned up first.

As an afterthought, I don't think the people would object if they were second, as long as the job is done.

Yours truly
A Taxpayer.
(Name withheld by request).

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L to R: Rep. Fred F Cain of Wilmington, who sponsored the legislation, Mr and Mrs Mahoney of Woburn, former owners of the land; Registrar McLaughlin, and DPW Office Conveyancer Joseph Linhares.

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In 1939 Smithcraft was one of the very first companies to design and manufacture fixtures for the then new fluorescent lamp. Under the leadership of Julian Smith, the company grew from a small local manufacturer to national recognition in the lighting field as a leader in the development and design of commercial and industrial lighting. Over 100 million dollars worth of Smithcraft lighting fixtures have been installed in offices, factories, schools, hospitals, and other commercial buildings throughout the country in the past 15 years. Smithcraft's present annual sales volume is \$10,000,000, and the company has set a goal of \$25,000,000 a

year by the mid-1970's.

Mr. Cantlin said that the company is continually expanding its product lines. In keeping with its growth policy, the firm has re-



JULIAN J SMITH
Chairman of the Board and
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In addition, Smithcraft's Engineering Department has developed such new products as a full line of recessed architectural lighting fixtures which utilize new mercury vapor and quartz iodine sources, as well as general service incandescent lamps. These fixtures recently won an award for excellence of design and engineering from the Industrial Design Institute of America. Under development is a new line of outdoor fixtures to be used for lighting parking areas, athletic fields, shopping centers, etc.

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FROM THE BOX SEAT

Two weeks ago we published a scouting report on the Boston Patriots basketball team.

Here is the dope on their April 7 opponent, the Bedell Celtics: Dick Ethier 6' 195 lbs., coach, ex-cap't. of WHS, second leading Celtic scorer with 12.0 average, ace defender, fine outside shooter; George Hanna, 6' 2" 180, ex-cap't. Methuen High, averaged 9.3 ppg. for Celts, strong rebounder at both ends; Butch McFeeters, 5' 11" 170 ex-cap't WHS, Tech Tournay vet, led 11.3 ppg. this year, clever ballhandler and driver; Phil Nelson 5' 9" 160, played at WHS and U. of Mass., hit for 7.3 average, exceptionally quick and aggressive, adroit passer; Joe Beaton, 6' 1" 170, leading scorer at WHS and for Bedell this year, averaging 30.7 ppg., Men's League M.V.P.; Pat Patterson, 5' 11" 195, out of Wakefield High, scored 2.3 ppg. in valuable sixth man role, aggressive defender, morale booster; Jon Fairfield, 6' 7" 260, leading scorer rebounder field, 6' 7" 260, leading scorer at WHS, strong rebounder, good touch for big man.

UNRESERVED

The Lowell Chiefs evened the best of five series with Walpole, only to be tipped 4-3 in the last three minutes of the final period. A Lowell victory in the playoffs would have been the upset of the year!

That very entertaining gymnastic demonstration staged by the Wil-

lington High School Physical Education classes proves that the talent is potentially there for good boys' and girls' teams. Other schools in the area have gymnastic teams, with neighboring Tewksbury having an outstanding one. Wilmington doesn't have such a program, it might cost a little money.

Len Gagnon's Wilmacs won four straight basketball games over local opposition to capture the championship of the Lowell Boys' Club Basketball Tournament. The final victory was a convincing 73-66 win over the Billerica Rockets.

The Red Sox should swap that ego manical, slow thinking, choke hitting Carl Yaz for a major league calibre receiver. An experienced take charge guy could make a huge difference in a young infield and pitching staff.

Merrimac Valley Conference teams got wiped out in tournament play. Only Tewksbury's basketball team lasted beyond the opener.

Speaking of tournaments, the Faculty's is underway with the scholarship fund benefitting. Wilmington faces Keith Saturday night.

The true sports fan had a frustrating night last Saturday. If he saw the exciting Celtics-76ers game on TV, he missed the great Cornell-B.U. tilt. Whereas if he was at the Garden, he missed the Celts win. It seems that the only team the Celtics put out against is Philly. The losses to Chicago and St. Louis were disgraceful.

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The Town Basketball League will hold its banquet at AVCO April 1. Howie Lafaver can be proud of his successful year with the three division loop.

The Boosters have all but finalized plans for the purchase of an electric scoreboard-clock for the high school field. A good move by Town Meeting voters in obtaining Baby Beach for Wilmington.

The ski races at Franconia last weekend were spectacular despite the spring conditions.

Big Bob Mullarky, ex-couch of Wilmington High has agreed to assume the reins of the Bullets in the Men's League next year. Dennis Bennett will be the ace of the Sox staff this year. He knows how to pitch.

Gov. Volp's commission has thrown Monte's stadium once again into the background. Art Powell's hands won't hurt Jack Kemp's passing. Patriot's top selection, John Charles, could be the first adequate cornerback in their history.

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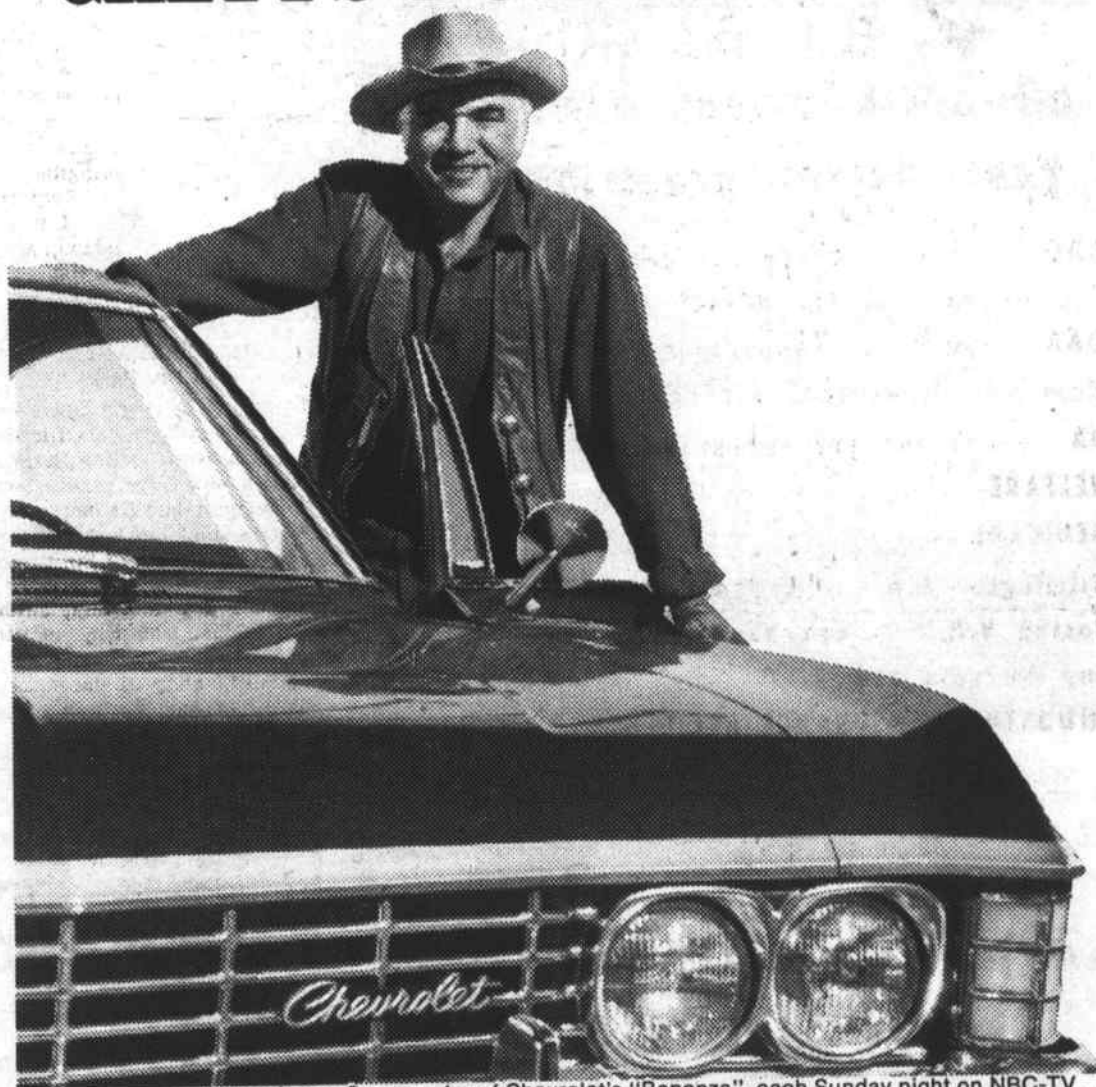


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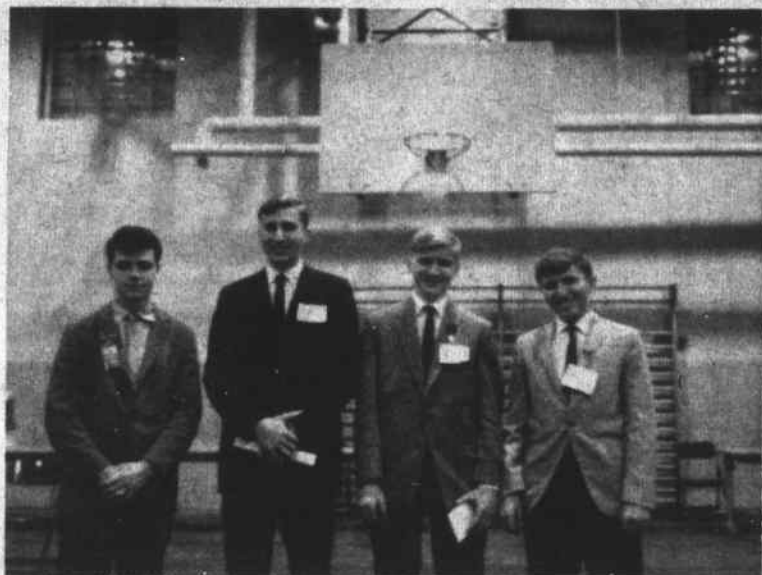
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THE BROTHERS KREY: Won the first three prizes. Andrew Krey, (tallest) won third prize, with a study of the human brain. Second from right is Philip Krey, who won the first prize, with his study on Desalination of Ocean and Brackish Waters, and at far right is Shem Krey, who was second prize winner, with a study of Air Pollution. (Their brother, it should be remarked, is also very much interested in science, and teaches it in Wilmington High School) At far left is Wayne Aruda, who took fourth prize with his study of The Optics of Telescope Making.



PRIZE WINNERS: At the fifteen Annual Science Fair, Friday, in Wilmington High School.

Front: Tommy Silvers, Donna Babine, Anne Robertie, Joanne Miller, Judith Allard, Celia Pushee, and Wayne Aruda.

Rear: Richard Leifert, Edward Thomas, Angelo Moriani, Gary Berg, Charles Fleming, Alan Greene, Ralph Whitney, and David Mahoney.



THE BIG BANG: Of the Science Show was provided by Tommy Silvers who had a study in Medium Velocity Ballistics, and fired off a gun, every now and then, to demonstrate.

The gun is in the frame near the bottom of the picture. Its target is backed up by three feet of sand, and then, for good measure, all the athletic mats in the high school gymnasium. (far background) Tommy drew quite a crowd.



DEEP SCIENCE: Displayed by David Mahoney, in his study of the Laser.



DEBORAH DROLETTE: And friend, examining her display of the World of Plastics.

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THE EMBRYOLOGY OF CHICKEN EGGS: By Charles Fleming, with one of the judges, Mrs Lewis of Billerica Memorial High School.



THE FIRST PRIZE WINNER: And one of the judges, Philip Krey, who had an exhibit on the Desalination of Ocean and Brackish Waters, is shown explaining the fine points to Mrs Bertha Colokathis, Senior Engineer at Transiltron.

Stadium

FROM FRONT PAGE

claimed gasoline tax rebates, due motorists who use the turnpike. Wilmington's stadium, proposed as the All New England Stadium, would be erected by private capital, and would cost in the vicinity of \$22 millions. The figures were presented at a public meeting, Sunday evening, in the Hebert C. Barrows Auditorium of the High School by Marshall Sterman, of the Boston investment firm of Markoff, Sterman & Gowell. Mr Sterman is an associate of Monte Green, president of the All New England Stadium.

Sunday night's meeting was sponsored by the Jaycees of Wilmington. A total of 100 persons was present, including half a dozen state representatives, and one state senator, Ronald MacKenzie of Burlington.

Sterman said that one third of the \$22 millions would be private

capital, and that two thirds would be mortgage money, borrowed at rates used by, he said, the First National Bank of Boston.

He believed the stadium would be self-sustaining, but he was questioned by former assessor Stanley Webber on his figures of \$200,000 for local taxes. Webber believed the figure to be too low. Atty. Roland Wood of Wilmington, a representative of the All New England Stadium, said that the taxes had as yet 'not been negotiated'.

Wilmington's Police Chief, Paul J. Lynch, spoke enthusiastically in favor of locating a stadium in this town.

Rep. Fred F. Cain of Wilmington predicted that any publicly funded stadium would be turned down by the legislature, and Rep. Stanley Bocko of Billerica told the meeting that he had voted against

the idea of a stadium in Wilmington before, but now he favored the Wilmington proposal because it showed more promise, financially, than the others.

The meeting at which Green and his associates appeared was originally scheduled to be a small private meeting with the Jaycees of Wilmington.

The local Jaycees have been meeting with various officials for the purpose of asking questions. The last such meeting was two weeks ago with Assessor Anthony Kreczminski. Selectman Miceli, a past president of the Wilmington Jaycees, proposed that Mr Green be asked to attend the next meeting, scheduled for last Sunday, and it suddenly blossomed into a large public meeting which had to be held in the High School.



SOME OF THE LEGISLATORS WHO WERE PRESENT: At the Monte Green meeting.

L to R: Rep Stanley Bocko of Billerica (D); Senator Ronald MacKenzie of Burlington (R); Rep Fred F Cain of Wilmington (D); Rep. Aaron Shinberg of Haverhill (D) and Rep. Frank Tanner of Reading (R). Also present was Rep. Chandler Stevens (I) of Bedford.

Little League Registration Saturday

All boys between the ages of nine and twelve who are interested in playing Little League baseball will register Saturday, between the hours of 10 am and 12 noon, at the American Legion Hall on Middlesex Avenue.

All boys, regardless of whether or not they have played before, must register. Registration forms may be obtained for any boy unable to attend Saturday, and returned by mail.

PFC MICHAEL SHELLY WELCOMED VISITORS

Marine PFC Michael Shelly, stationed at Cherry Point, N.C. was pleasantly surprised Saturday March 11, when he was visited by his uncle and aunt, Bill and Van Murray, of Laurel Ave, Wilmington, on their way to Florida.

Accompanying her grandparents was four-year old Sandra Hughson, also of Laurel Ave.

Crusader News

On Thursday Mar. 11, the Swords men will have an individual contest in Drums and Bugles.

This year we hope to have a more successful contest than we've had in the past. We plan to start early so our contest will be successful for both much needed financial assistance and the betterment for the members of the corps. Therefore we are holding a SPECIAL MEETING at the Grange Hall, Thursday March 16th, at 8:15 pm, to select committees for various jobs. The Corps needs your help. If you are interested in the youth of Wilmington we urge you to participate in this very worthwhile cause.

Come and join our DRUMS (blitz) party any Tuesday night at the Grange Hall at 8 pm.

Crusaders music practice will be held Tuesday night at the Woburn St School at 7 pm. Drill practice will be held on Sunday morning at the Hi Hat in Lowell, with the bus leaving from Wilmington Plaza at 10:30 am. All members are urged to attend practice because the competition season is getting closer.

Swordsmen music practice will be held on Thursday at 6:30 pm at the Grange Hall. Drill practice will be held on Sunday at 6 pm at the Grange Hall.

Preschool Registration

Preschool registration for 1967 for the Wilmington Public Schools will take place at the following schools, according to the schedule below:

Glen Road School, March 27; Mildred H Rogers School, March 28; Walker School, March 28; Boutwell School, March 29; Whitefield School March 30.

Buzzell School March 31; Wildwood School April 3, and Woburn Street School April 4.

The hours of registration in each case will be from 9 am to 3:45 pm.

A birth certificate from the city or town in which the child was born will be required. A certificate of

successful vaccination is also necessary. Information about previous illnesses and immunizations will be requested.

If the child has not had the measles, or measles immunization, a booster for polio, diphtheria and tetanus, this should be taken care of. This may be done with the family physician, or at the monthly immunization clinics of the Wilmington Board of Health, on the first Tuesday of each month.

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A Long Ago Story

The Town Crier has a rule that members of the family of the publisher are not, as such, news worthy, and that there shall be no stories about those members of the family unless it is really newsworthy.

The oldest son of the publisher, Peter A. Neilson of the Boston Museum of Science, was one of the judges at the High School Science Fair, last Saturday.

This is the story of how Peter Neilson went on to win a National Science Award, while a student in Wilmington High School - the only Wilmington pupil ever to win such an award.

It was five or six years ago. Peter had been exhibiting every year, at the Science Fairs, and had won various awards. This was the year he thought up The Idea.

He decided that his project was The Effect of Extra Gravity on the Growth of Plants - an idea that might be of some value, perhaps, in inter-planetary travel.

Peter went out in back of the house, and scraped away the snow, and put in a 'hot-bed' - the kind that farmers use to have early tomato plants. The hot bed was heated with a small electric stove. In the center was a wagon wheel, which turned over constantly, driven by an electric motor.

To the wagon wheel Peter nailed some tin cans, all carefully spaced out, by his slide rule, so that each can would be subjected to one additional 'G', or gravitational force measurement, as the wheel revolved at its predetermined rate.

He planted seeds in the earth in the tin cans, and started up that motor. All day, and all night, for six weeks, the wheel kept revolving, except for the short periods of time used to measure the growing plants.

It was, for the milkman who delivered the family milk, a thing of fascination. He would have his eyes riveted to the 'exhibit' in back of the house, while he wildly waved his milk bottle around, without looking, seeking the kitchen table.

That milkman didn't give a hoot whether or not the milk was safely delivered. What he wanted to know was What, Why, was that Wagon Wheel constantly revolving in that Hot Bed?

He never did find out. When the time came for the Science Fair Peter did not have an exhibit with a lot of mechanical or other devices in it.

The exhibit was solely a set of tables he had prepared, showing the effects of extra gravity on growth of plants, over a six week period.

Almost everybody passed him by, and he got a Second Prize.

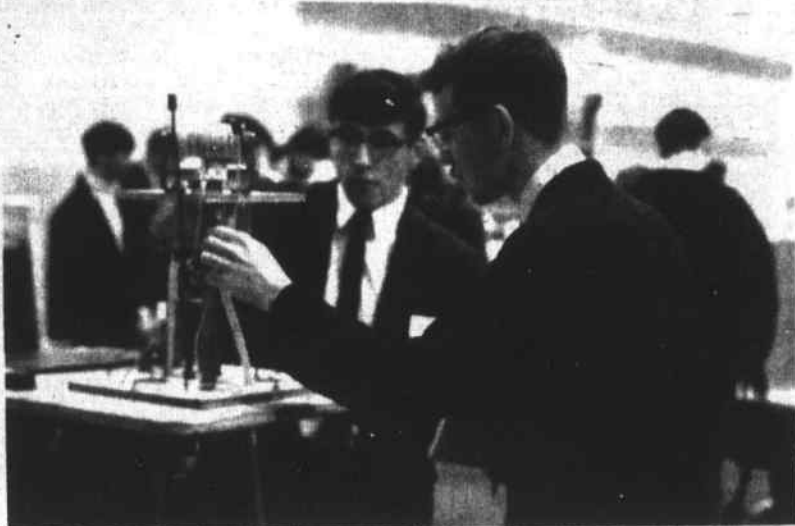
That meant that he was to go to Lowell Tech, to exhibit there.

At Lowell Tech it was the same story. There were no flashing lights, or other paraphernalia, and everyone passed his exhibit without looking.

And he got a second prize at Lowell Tech.

But Edward Sullivan, now a teacher in Rhode Island, but then a Science Teacher in Wilmington High School, urged Peter to go on, and try for the Nationals.

Mr. Sullivan knew what he was doing. Peter Neilson's study of plant growth under artificial gravity conditions was recognized for what it was - a scientific achievement for a High School junior.



ANGELO MORLANI: With his Plasma Jet Generator, and his favorite judge. Morlani is facing the camera.

He was one of 400 High School students to receive a National Science award, in the entire country.

Now, after six years, Peter Neilson was back at a Wilmington High School Science Fair, this time as a judge.

Peter kept returning to the exhibit of Angelo Morlani, an exhibit which other judges did not seem to think was interesting. Angelo didn't take a first prize.

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The School Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest to do so.

Wilmington School Committee,
Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts.
Harold S. Shea
Superintendent of Schools

Arthur J. Brewster,
Chairman
M9, 16

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



WILMINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

March 13, 1967

The School Committee of the Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts solicits bids for the procurement of audio visual equipment for the public schools of Wilmington for the school year 1966-67.

Specific information concerning the required items, quantity needed etc. may be obtained from the Office of the School Committee, 159 Church Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Sealed bids may be delivered to the above office by 5:00 P.M. Thursday, April 6, 1967. Bids will be opened at 8:15 P.M. of the same day, in the Roman House, 159 Church Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest to do so.

Wilmington School Committee,
Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts.
Walter H. Pierce
Ass't. Supt. of Schools

Arnold F. Lanni,
Chairman
M16, 23

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids for furnishing on a Lease Purchase Agreement one (1) Electronic Accounting Machine to the Town of Wilmington will be received at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Massachusetts until 11:00 a.m. Friday, March 31, 1967, when and where they will be publicly opened and read. Detailed specifications may be obtained from the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Harold E. Melzar
Temp. Town Manager
M16, 23

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the office of the Wilmington Planning Board, Hiller House, Middlesex County Bank Building, at 8:00 pm March 28, 1967, under the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 81 T, General Laws, on the application for approval of a Definitive Plan, submitted by Sanpek Realty Corp. 617 Concord Avenue, Cambridge Mass, for a subdivision known as Wildwood Estates, located off Wildwood Street, in Wilmington.

A. Daniel Gillis, Chmn.
M9, 16 Wilmington Planning Board
TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF SELECTMEN PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:15 pm March 27, 1967 on the application of the Humble Oil and Refining Co., 1330 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, Mass. for a gas license at 160 Lowell Street in Wilmington, with storage for 16,000 gallons of gasoline underground, 500 gallons of fuel oil, 500 gallons of waste oil, 300 gallons of anti-freeze, 60 gallons of grease, and 40 gallons of gas in two cars.

James R. Miceli
Chairman.
M9, 16

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of BONISLOF VINOVTCH of Wilmington in said County, mentally ill person.

The guardian of the property of said ward has presented to said Court his twenty-first to twenty-seventh accounts inclusive for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-second day of March 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of February 1967.

John V. Harvey
Register.
M2, 9, 16

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To KENNETH JAMES ROSS of Downey in the State of California.

A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife JUDITH E. ROSS praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment and praying for alimony and for custody or allowance for minor child.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge within twenty-one days from the twenty-fourth day of April 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this Twenty-third day of February, 1967.

John V. Harvey,
Register.
M9, 16, 23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARGARETH H. COOK late of North Reading in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that FREDERICK L. COOK of Londerry in the State of New Hampshire be appointed administrator of said estate, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of March 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of February 1967.

John V. Harvey
Register.
M2, 9, 16

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by ANTHONY C. PROFIRIO, Jr to the STONEHAM CO-OPERATIVE BANK, dated June 19, 1961 and duly recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1518 at page 521, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at ten o'clock in the forenoon on Monday the third day of April, 1967, on the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

'the land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as twelve certain lots of land, numbered 383, 384, 385, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409 and 410 as shown on a plan entitled 'Silver Lake Addition', dated September 1920, Robert B. Bellamy, C.E., and being recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 42 as plan 73, and to which plan reference is hereby made for a more complete description of said lots.

Containing 36,789 square feet of land, more or less, according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Ida B. Elfman of even date and to be recorded herewith.

Subject to encumbrances of record, if any.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes, tax titles, or other municipal liens or assessments, if any there be.

Terms \$500.00 in cash at time and place of sale, balance in ten days thereafter at office of said mortgagee Bank, other terms to be announced at said sale.

Stoneham Co-operative Bank,
Mortgagee and present holder
by /s/ Harold S. Adams

Harold S. Adams, Its President
Alfred C. Walton, Attorney, 27
State Street, Boston, Mass. 523-6360. March 3, 1967
M9, 16, 23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT

(SEAL) Case No. 50951 Misc.

In Equity

To ALBERT C. WENNING and BERTHA A. WENNING, of Wilmington, Middlesex County; JORDAN MARSH COMPANY, of Cambridge, Middlesex County and all of said Commonwealth; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF LOWELL, Middlesex County, and said Commonwealth, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Wilmington, Dobson Street, given by Albert C. Wenning and Bertha A. Wenning, to the plaintiff, dated July 21, 1959, recorded with Middlesex North Deeds, Book 1445, Page 421, has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the tenth day of April 1967, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, ELWOOD H. HETRICK, Esquire, Judge of said Court this sixth day of March 1967.

Margaret M. Daly,
Recorder
M16

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**ROSEBUD
CARROTS** **3^{lb} BAGS 29^c**

CABBAGE **5^c**
lb

Grapefruit **5^c**
ea

BANANAS **12^c**
lb

**SUNKIST Super Size
ORANGES** **6/59^c**

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MILK** **1/2 GAL. 45^c**

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The Founding of Angelo Giuseppe Roncali Lodge



THE FOUNDING OF ANGELO GUISEPPE RONCALI LODGE: Sons of Italy, in the K of C hall in Tewksbury, Sunday evening. In the front row are the three official founders, Frances Gray of Clark Street, George Murray of Butters Row, and Laura Calra, of Chestnut Street.

Aldo Calra of Chestnut Street, Grand Orator, is to the right of the Founders, reading a part of the ceremony.

The first Venerable of the Wilmington lodge is Charles Ingalls of Chestnut Street.

CYO

Youth Center Plans approved

Final plans were unanimously approved Monday evening for the proposed St Thomas of Villanova CYO Youth Center. Construction is expected to get under way this week. The entire lower level of Villanova Hall will be completely renovated into a modern youth center for the young people of Wilmington.

For years there has been a strong need for a social gathering place for the young people of the town. Upon completion this youth center should more than fulfill this vacancy. Proposed plans include a TV room, quiet or conversation room, game room which will include pool tables, ping pong tables, bumper pool, etc. The main room, or dance room, will have a modern juke box, canteen, comfortable lounges and eating

area.

CYO members have voted to pledge \$2,000.00 towards the renovation. Due to the success of the CYO Penny Sale, limited funds are now available to begin construction immediately. CYO members are presently hard at work rehearsing for a play 'Inherit the Wind' which will be presented the end of March. All proceeds from this play will go into the youth center fund. These young people have shown a desire to help themselves. They can build this youth center with the encouragement and support of parents and adults. Let's all get behind them and build a living memorial to the youth of Wilmington.

Volunteers are requested to contact Paul Reitchel at 658-2560 or Charles Nickerson at 658-4861.



Bradford Bachrach

JOAN BUTT IS ENGAGED

Mr and Mrs William F Butt of 6 West St, No Wilmington have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joan Louise, to David Reed Tuxbury, son of Mr and Mrs Lesley C Tuxbury of 35 Prospect St, Amesbury, Mass.

Miss Butt is a 1961 graduate of Wilmington High School and graduated in 1963 from Chandler School For Women. Mr Tuxbury graduated from Amesbury High School in 1960 and attended Norwich University, North Field, Vt. He is currently serving with the Corps of Engineers, US Army, Fort Leonardwood, Missouri.

A fall wedding is planned.

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